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27-4inch plain China Silks in all the modes, per yard ..... **50c**

## OPTION BILL HELP

Anti-Saloon League Workers Speak in Rock Island and Moline Churches.

### PRESSURE ON LEGISLATURE

Say If Measure Goes to License Committee It Will Never Be Reported.

Yesterday in Rock Island and Moline churches was observed Anti-Saloon league day, and representatives of this organization spent the day in the two cities, occupying the pulpits of the churches.

The work of the league was explained in detail, both its organization and its aims. The efforts of the league have been somewhat successful, but there is still a great deal to do, and it is in the interest of this work that the representatives are sent to the different cities of the state, as they were to Rock Island yesterday. Throughout the entire year the league has a band of workers in one or more of the cities each Sunday. The object is to create a sentiment in favor of the league's work.

#### License Committee Scored.

The meetings here yesterday were timely, as the local option bill is soon to be acted on by the legislature. It was explained that the big fight on in the legislature at present is as to which committee the local option bill is referred. It is contended by the Anti-Saloon league representatives that if the bill is referred to the license committee it will never be given fair attention.

It is claimed that the chairman of this committee was placed there by the saloon interests, and would do all in his power to kill the bill if referred to his committee. It is for this reason that the league and those interested in the bill are working hard to see that the bill goes to the elections committee, and does not fall into the hands of the license committee. The elections committee is believed to be a fair committee, and the league representatives are satisfied that their measure would receive fair treatment from the members of that committee.

#### Asks Local Influence.

R. O. Everhart, manager of the league's legislation bureau at Springfield, in speaking of the condition of affairs pertaining to legislation, explained the fight on the reference of the bill, and, continuing, said: "Now is the time when we must work if anything is to be accomplished with the present legislature. In a few weeks the appropriation bills will come up for consideration, and it will be impossible to secure any attention for the local option bill when once these measures are taken up." He urged that all local influence be brought to bear to secure the reference of the bill to the elections committee.

#### Churches Addressed.

The assignments made in the local churches were as follows: Forenoon—J. F. Burke, First Methodist church, Rock Island; E. E. McLaughlin, First Congregational church, Moline; R. O. Everhart, Broadway Presbyterian, Rock Island; John Wright, First Baptist, Rock Island; E. H. Curtis, First Methodist church, Moline; J. C. Bentall, Swedish Baptist, Moline; R. C. McDonald, First Baptist, Moline; Claude Ewing, Central Presbyterian, Rock Island.

Afternoon—J. F. Burke and E. E. McLaughlin, Moline Y. M. C. A.; R. O. Everhart and R. C. McDonald, Rock Island Y. M. C. A. Evening—J. F. Burke, Second Congregational church, Moline; E. E. McLaughlin, Swedish Lutheran, Moline; R. O. Everhart, United Presbyterian, Moline; John Wright, Second Methodist church, Moline; E. H. Curtis, Memorial Christian, Rock Island; J. C. Bentall, Spencer Methodist, Rock Island; R. C. McDonald, United Presbyterian, Rock Island; Claude Ewing, Milan.

One of the most interesting meetings of the day was that at the Moline Y. M. C. A. held in the Industrial home in that city. There were over three hundred men present. Addresses were made by J. F. Burke, the general attorney of the league, and by E. E. McLaughlin. At the Rock Island Y. M. C. A. a company of 75 men gathered to hear Mr. Everhart's address. A cornet solo was rendered by Miss

J. Alma Holt, and a vocal solo by J. A. Johnson.

## TELLS OF WOMEN OF JAPAN

Mrs. Andrews, Former Missionary, Secured For Two Lectures.

The Woman's auxiliaries of Rock Island and Moline Episcopal churches have prepared two specially interesting meetings tomorrow when they will have as their guest Mrs. Andrews, a lady who with her husband has been for a number of years engaged in missionary work in Japan. The afternoon meeting will begin at 2:30 and will be held in the rectory at Moline, the second at 8 o'clock in the evening in Christ church. Mrs. Andrews is to speak in the afternoon on "Women and Children of Japan," and in the evening she will tell of the mission work at Mito, where she has been stationed. Occidental ideas have been so completely revolutionized in regard to all things Japanese in the last 12 months, that it will be of special interest to hear directly from the land of the Mikado. The ladies in charge of the meetings hope as many as possible will avail themselves of the opportunity to hear Mrs. Andrews.

## REHEARSALS THIS WEEK

For Sacred Opera Egypta to Be Given in April.

The sacred opera "Egypta" which is to be given at the Illinois April 5 and 6, and in Moline April 7 and 8, under the auspices of the Bethany Protective association, was produced at Davenport several years ago and the Democrat gave the following comment:

"The Davenport Academy of Sciences has brought into notice in the scientific world its elephant pipes and inscribed tablets and scores of wonders archeological, zoological, entomological and botanical, but never until last night did it present to the public a real, live Moses and a resurrected Pharaoh, a Miriam and a messenger angel. Let us be thankful that these latter things have been reserved until a time when we were here to enjoy them. While the story is old as sacred writ yet around it hovers a rare, sweet interest that can never fade, or flag. The story is so prettily told, the music so bright and fascinating, the stage settings and scenery so sumptuous and grand that one sighs with regret when the play is over. A better drilled chorus was never heard in Davenport. It is the greatest success in the history of our stage."

Rehearsals will commence Thursday night of this week. The casts as soloists will be ready for the public the latter part of the week.

## BID FOR AN IOWA CONTRACT

C. E. Heaps and Volk & Co., of This City, Figure on Davenport Job.

C. E. Heaps and Volk & Co., of this city, were bidders for the contract to erect a cold storage building, laundry and kitchen at the Davenport Soldiers' Orphans' home which was let at Des Moines Saturday afternoon. The successful bidder was H. Ellenberger & Co., of Chicago, the figure being \$18,771. Mr. Heaps' bid was \$19,492 and Volk & Co.'s \$27,585. All bids but that of the successful firm were over the amount appropriated by the state, \$19,000. The buildings are to be completed by Oct. 1.

## FIGHT THE LICENSE QUESTION

Geneseo Reform Party Will Oppose Saloons at the Polls.

Geneseo will see a likely fight at the polls this spring over the license question. The citizens' reform party, opposing saloons, at the meeting Friday night put the following municipal ticket in the field:

Mayor—O. W. Hoyt.  
Alderman, First ward—C. M. Iverson.  
Alderman, Second ward—Aaron Rapp.  
Alderman, Third ward—H. R. Ott.  
Alderman, Fourth ward—W. F. Butler.

#### Got Off Cheap.

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## WORK FOR SOLONS

Week Has Much Business in State for the Lawmakers at Springfield.

### IMPORTANT MEASURES UP

Cooke-McCaskrin Will Not Be Reported Except on Order From House.

Springfield, Ill., March 20.—Woman suffrage, local option, municipal courts, civil service, appropriations and election contests are some of the subjects that will combine to make this week a lively one in legislative circles. Many other subjects will receive attention and consideration, but these are the most important of the doings in sight. Tomorrow the real business will commence when Speaker Shurtliff lays the local option bill before the house for its disposition. The speaker evidently thinks the measure is loaded, and wants the house to assume the responsibility. He has been importuned by opponents of the measure to let it go to the license committee, where they argue it properly belongs, while the Anti-Saloon league says that according to precedent it should go to the elections committee. And so the house will settle it, and a warm fight is looked for.

**Do Little With Contests.**  
The senate elections committee will meet to hear the Putnam-Sucher contest tomorrow, but indications are that very little will be done then. It is more probably the reports, minority and majority, will go over for a few days for the purpose of argument and consideration.

The senate committee will get busy with the primary election bill again. They hope to finish its consideration during the week and report the measure out. It will likely pass substantially as amended by the senate committee, but when it gets back to the house the membership there will scarcely recognize it as the measure they caucused over day after day, and finally passed at the urgent behest of Gov. Deneen. No one can tell whether they will agree to the senate amendments and conference may become necessary.

#### Civil Service Bill.

Civil service may be touched on lightly, but there will be no civil service legislation this week, nor next. Representative Burke's bill, or more properly the remains of it, was made a special order for next Friday, but this was done for a hidden purpose. The leaders well knew that few indeed would be the members present then, and the small handful will not care to tackle such an important subject. They will accordingly move a further continuance, and the bill will likely go over until early in April. As a matter of fact, no one cares to enact any civil service measures until the coming municipal elections are out of the way.

Woman suffrage is liable to come up in both sides. The bill granting women the right to vote for city officials had been favorably reported out by the house committee, and will likely pass first reading early this week. No fight will be made on it until it reaches the order of second reading. A bill is pending in the senate, but it will scarcely be called up, as it is on the order of third reading, and the senate will likely postpone final consideration for a while.

#### No Report Except on Order.

The Cooke-McCaskrin election contest from Rock Island will not come up. Mr. Cooke has been asking a final settlement, but the elections committee has announced that it will not report out the measure without an order from the house.

The municipal courts bill passed by the senate will be sent back to the house, where it originated. The senate made such radical amendments that the house will scarcely concur, and a conference committee will be a necessity.

Protests continue to pour in against any good roads legislation. Farmers from all over the state are vigorously opposing the proposition, and forcing their boards of supervisors to adopt resolutions against any legislation along this line. However, the house subcommittee will continue its junket in the hope of showing the farmers the error of their way.

Very little of the important legislation has been finally disposed of, so there is really no talk concerning the adjournment. Several members think they will be able to conclude by May 1, but this has not yet become anything like a certainty. Not one of the big bills has been run its course and reached the governor.

## PLEDGE 2,000 ACRES BEETS

Farmers Near Geneseo Welcome Proposed Sugar Factory.

Geneseo is taking very kindly to the idea of having a beet sugar factory. At a meeting of farmers at that place Saturday afternoon it was brought out that the promoters have already secured contracts for the growing of 2,000 acres of beets this year. This is more than was asked for, and is said to remove all doubt about the erection of a \$500,000 plant at once.

Prospects of the new factory have awakened to new life the Kewanee, Cambridge & Geneseo interurban and the officers state that they will rush work on the line at the earliest possible date and have cars running into Geneseo to carry the beets to the factory not later than Nov. 1.

## CATHEDRAL PRAISE SERVICE

Musical to be Given in Davenport Church Wednesday Evening.

A number of Rock Island people are planning to attend a praise service that is to be given Wednesday evening of this week at Grace Cathedral, Davenport. The program is to be as follows:

Organ prelude, Berceuse and march, Kinder—Miss Gertrude Branigan.  
Processional hymn 491—"The Church's one Foundation."  
Collects.  
Te Deum in B b, Villiers Stanford—Grace Cathedral choir.  
"Be Merciful Unto Me, Oh! God". Berwald—Miss Lillian Price.  
"Glory to Thee, My God, This Night," Gounod—Elliott Shaw.  
Postlude, Stern—Miss Ellie Baldwin.  
"Show Me Thy Ways," Torrente—Miss Ella Louis Morrison.  
"Nazareth," Gounod—Carlton Taylor.

"Evening Shadows Gently Falling," Hilse—Grace Cathedral choir.  
Pilgrim's shout from Tannhauser, Wagner—Miss Gertrude Branigan.  
Hymn 450, "All Hail The Power of Jesus' Name"—Choir and congregation.  
"Like As the Heart Desireth," Allister—Mrs. T. O. Swiney.  
Duet, "Crucifix," Faure—Miss Price and Mr. Taylor.  
"Come Unto Me," Coenen—Master John Swiney.  
"Gallia," Gounod—Miss Westervelt and the choir.  
Offertory, Cantilene, Wheelodon—Miss Gertrude Branigan.  
Benediction.  
Recessional hymn 516, "Onward Christian Soldiers."  
Organ postlude, Burlesca and Melodia, Baldwin—Miss Gertrude Branigan.

#### Advertised List No. 12.

Following is a list of letters uncalled for in the Rock Island postoffice, week ending March 18, 1905:

G. F. Baker, Miss Benzona, Miss Noel Brittain, Hiram Bryant, Alexander Coffmann, W. J. Couley, Mrs. Garber Garber, T. D. Gisher, George J. Heckle, Lewis Heismandel, Miss Edie Lundquist, Ed McCrum, William N. Moore, Theodore Neilson, Pearl Payne, Mrs. Myrtle Pierce, 2; William T. Souders, Smith and West, John Thomas, Ceryl Verhelst, Mrs. Bella Weaverling, Mrs. John Williams, Foreign—F. A. Sjoblad, William F. Sutton.

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